

28 December 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence
FROM: Chief, Interdepartmental Affairs Staff, OPP
SUBJECT: DoD Budget and 85 Capabilities Study

1. I just received a call from [] who is currently acting for [] who said that he has learned that Mr. Carlucci balked at putting budget numbers in the computer relative to the 85 Capabilities Study because he had not yet been briefed. Bill asked whether this should be included as a breakfast item for tomorrow. I mentioned that you prefer to handle such items apart from the formal breakfast meetings. I encouraged him, however, to send us ASAP a brief note on the issue so that you can decide how to handle it. []

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2. I will get the item to you as soon as we receive it this afternoon. I have not alerted Weinberger's staff that this issue might be raised, pending your decision. []

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